GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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AIDS RESEARCH CENTRES WITH WORLD BANK ASSISTANCE
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have set up AIDS research centers in the country with the World Bank assistance;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government are also contemplating set up a AIDS research center in Maharashtra;

(d) if so, the details thereof, location-wise; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefore?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a)&(b)No, Sir.

(c) to (e) The National AIDS Research Institute (NARI) at Pune, has been set up and is being funded by the Indian Council of Medica Research (ICMR) for promotion of research in the field of HIV/ AIDS.